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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of the non-final Office Action dated December 21, 2007 (the "Office Action"), and request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks. A request for an extension of time accompanies this response, which is therefore believed to be timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.